HEAVY WORK AHEAD OF THE LEGISLATURE

Will Get Down to Real Business Shortly.

MANY IMPORTANT MATTERS

General Committees to Meet To-Mor row and Tuesday-Liquor Bill and Reapportionment Measure to Come Up-Live Gossip.

The Legislature in all human probability will start in on its work in earnest this week, and will likely map out some line of procedure with reference to the various matters to be dealt with, if infeed it does not accomplish some furcommittees are scheduled to meet toerrow and it is for the purpose of get ting down to business. One of the first things after the Corporation Commission in named will be to choose a successor to Judge-elect Beverley T. Crump, of the Richmond City Circuit Court, who will be the lawyer member of the commission

and a hig fight is brewing for the place. The lobbyists will pour in here shortly if Mr. Folkes, of this city, shall press the bill which was offered in the Touse yes-terday, the object of which is to abolish stores and commissaries which are being run in connection with the mining and run in connection with the mining and manufacturing institutions of the State and to prevent their re-establishment. For many years it has been the custom of these companies, especially in the mining sections of the State to have commissaries, at which their employes were pracucally forced under certain conditions before their wages became due, to

Hon. Thomas W. Gardner, of Henrico yesterday offered in the House a bill of great interest to the people of Richmond and especially to the legal fraternity. The measure offered by Mr. Gardner provides for the keeping open of the State Library and the Law Library between the hours of 3 A. M. and 6 o'clock P. M., except on Sundays and legal holidays. At present these rooms are kept open tween the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M.

with Mr. Indisay Bibb, is conterting the seats in the House of Delegates held by Messrs. Whitehead and Woodward, is hore attending the Methodist Conference. From what can be learned the contest will hardly be vigorously pressed.

Mr. S. S. Lambeth, Jr., of Norfolk, who

Hon. John C. Parker, of Southampton, former member of the House from that county, was at the Capitol yesterday.

The House Committee on Roads and Internal Navigation will meet on Tues-day at 10 o'clock to take up pending bills.

Senator Barksdale, of Halifax, left last night to attend the funeral of Mr. John R. Edmunds at Houston to-day.

HANDSOME CARS FOR **OCEAN SHORE LIMITED**

Norfolk and Western Wi'l Also Have New Engines, Enabling a Faster Trip.

a accordance with their desire to fur-th the traveling public with the best t may possibly be had, the Norfolk Western will add to their rolling

and Western will add to their rolling stock next week several very handsome passenger coaches, which it is said, will excel any rallroad equipment now coming into Richmond. The new coaches will be used on the Ocean Shore Limited, and will add much to the comfort of those traveling between this city and Norfolk. The same company is at present having a number of monster engines to be used exclusively in the passenger department, constructed, and it will be only a short time before they will be ready for the company, after which the trip from Richmond to Norfolk will be made in two hours flat.

The new coaches are finished on the in-

hours flat.

The new coaches are finished on the interior with quartered oak, natural finish, with mouldings and carved panels. A handsome smoking compartment is in on each of the cars, while in either end there is a lavatory and tollet room. The coaches will be heated by a newly-patented arrangements, which distributes the heat equally throughout the entire oat, insuring perfect ventilation.

FLEET WEIGHS ANCHOR

Formidable Squadron Off for Winter Manœuvres

Manœuvres

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

NORFOLK, VA., Nov. 15.—The squadron of the Dewey fleet sailed from here at 10:20 this morning. Admiral Dewey did not arrive to go with this squadron, but will join it, going by rail to Tampa. Fla. a month later.

It was a grand sight when the big battloships Kearsarge, Alabama, Massachusetts and lidiana, and the cruisers Machias and Cincinnati turned their noses toward the Virginia capes and plowed their way toward the sea. This left in the Roads the training-ship Lancoster and converted yachts Hist and Mayflower.

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The Cincinnati, which recently came up from South American waters, was repaired at the Norfolk Navy-yard, and this morning at 6:30 o'clock sailed from the yard to join the ships in the Roads, and sailed with the others.

Admiral Higgingon will command the Admiral Higginson will command the fleet at Culebra until Admiral Dewey arrives. Officers and men, who have left, expect to fight.

BIG INCREASE

Chesapeake Western Company In-

creases its Capi al Stock Largely. creases its Capi al Stock Largely.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Chesapeake Western Company, held in this city yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock, over which President Edward Madden, of New York presided, it was decided to increase the capital stock of the company, the maximum being fixed at \$2.750,000 instead of \$1,000,000, and the minimum at \$150,000 in steady of \$50,000, Snortly after this decision was reached attorneys for the company appeared before Judge Wellford, in the City Circuit Court and the charter was amended so as to conform with the desire of the stockholders.

The action of the company is significant, in that it is presumed that work will be pushed vigorously on the construction of a new railroad from the coal fields of West Virginia to deep water at Gloucester Point.

Buys a Gold Mine.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

Ramsay, of New York city, recently purchased all the stock in the Irwindale gold mine, near hore, and it is said that work there will be more extensive than ever before. Mr. Ramsay has been interested in the property for some time, and it is worth about a hundred thousand dollars and is paying property.

All durgetists age! Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablots, full sized pkgs. at 50 cents, and for a weak stomach a fifty cent package and is paying property.

All durgetists age! Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablots, full sized pkgs. at 50 cents, and for a weak stomach a fifty cent package will often do fifty dollars' worth of good.

reys' Specific, breaks up Colds. Grip, Influenza, Catarrh, Pains and soreness in the head and chest, Cough, Sore Throat, General Prostration and Fever. 25c, all Drug-

COLDS

Mr. Taylor anticipates no trouble from the scratches.

JURY FAILS TO AGREE IN BURROUGHS CASE

The Ex-Postmaster is Bailed and the Case Will Come Up at the Next Term.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
NORFOLK, VA., November 15.—The jurymen in the case of Sam. L. Burroughs, formerly postmaster of Portsmouth, accused of embezzling \$2,000, sat all night on the case, and appeared in the court this morning to obtain further instructions from the judge. After re-ceeing these instructions, the jury retired again. The jurymen came in at 2:20 in the afternoon, and declared that it was impossible for them to agree. The case was continued till next term, and Burroughs gave bond for appearance at the next term with W. H. White, of Ports-

mouth, as surety.

JUROR TYLER SICK.

Juror Alonzo S. Tyler, of Richmond, sitting on the United States petit jury in the Circuit Court here, was attacked by a hemmorhage immediately after he left the court room to-day. He was excused at 10 cleacy by the under and intended to 10 o'clock by the udge, and intended to return home to remain till Monday. But the attack of blood-spitting began as he reached the sidewa'k and prostrated him. Deputy Marshal Bland, of Richmond, came to Mr. Tyler's assistance and made arrangements to take him to Richmond. Ar. Total is well known as the man who ran the first electric street railway car in Richmond and in the country. A coincidence, is that Judge Waddill, who excused him from service to-day, was a esenger on that first electric railway car.

RECEIVED WITH HONOR. Assistant Secretary of the Navy Dar-ling arrived at the navy-yard a few min-utes before 12 o'clock, having come up from Old Point on the tug Wahnita, after witnessing the sailing of the big fleet under command of Admiral Dewey.

The Secretary was received by Admiral Cotton and the officers of the station. An inspection of the yard was made, and the distinguished visitor was entertained by

the Admiral. On the petition of the Standard Sewing Machine Company, of Richmond, the as-sets of the company are held in the hands o a receiver and taken rom the possession of C. Gunter, the agent here C. J. Collis is ambiedetisarchlushrallushral J. Collins is appointed receiver by Judge W. B. Martin, of the Court of Law and Chancery, with a bond of \$2.000 This is a suit to settle a dispute between the company and its agent.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT

Norfolk and Western Conductor Falls-Beneath Wheels of His Train.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

BLUEFIELD, W. VA., Nov. 15.—While shifting cars near Morgan last night Conductor James Becket fell beneath a moving car, the wheels passing over his left leg and severing it midway between the ankle and knee. Mr. Becket was brought to this city and taken to the office of Dr. Fox, where the injured limb was amputated above the knee. Mr. Becket came to Bluefield several years ago from Ada. He was only a few weeks ago advanced to the position of conductor.

A new manufacturing enterprise, and one with only one competitor in the United States, is now in operation. It is the Huntington Tin and Planished Plate Company, and the production of the very best grade of planished plate has been successfully accomplished. There is a wide market for the product, and there will be no difficulty in disposing of the entire output. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE.

Miss Amy Convers Tutwiler left a few days ago for New Orleans, where she will spend the winter with her brother, Miss Jessie S. Bennett left for Baltmore Saturday afternoon, after a visit of

several weeks to friends here.

Mrs. S. T. McCullough, Mrs. E. D. Tay-lor, Mrs. B. A. Blenner, Mrs. J. H. Tim-berlake, Mrs. W. R. Vawter and Mrs. G. A. Lyon, who are attending the convertion of the United Daughters of the Con rederacy in New Orleans, will leave on Monday to be the guests of Mrs. W. J. Behan, of White Plains, La.

AN EASY WAY.

To Keep Well. It is easy to keep well if we would only

bserve each day a few simple rules of health. The all-important thing is to keep the The all-important thing is to keep the stomach right, and to do this it is not necessary to diet or to follow a set rule or bill of fare. Such pampering simply makes a capricious appetite and a feeling that certain favorite articles of food must be avoided.

Prof. Wiechold gives pretty good address this subject. He says: "I am 80.

Prof. Wiechold gives pietry good active on this subject. He says: "I am 60 years old and have never had a serious illness, and at the same time my life has been largely an indoor one, but I early discovered that the way to keep

discovered that the way to keep healthy was to keep a healthy stomach, not by eating bran crackers or dieting of any sort; on the contrary 1 always eat what my appetite craves, but daily for the past eight years I have made it a practice to take one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal and I attribute my robust health for a man of my age to the regular daily use of Stuart's Tablets.

"My physician first advised me to use

use of Stuart's Tablets.

"My physician first advised me to use them because he said they were perfectly harmless and were not a secret patent medicine, but contained only the natural digestives, peptones and diastase, and after using them a few weeks I have never ceased to thank him for his advice. "I honestly believe the habit of taking Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after meals is the real health habit, because their use brings health to the sick and ailing and preserves health to the well and strong." strong.

Men and women past fifty years of age

FIGHT ON AGAINST **NEW CONSTITUTION**

First Blood Will Be Drawn in U. S. Court Here Thursday.

THE CHIEF JUSTICE MAY SIT

Writs Served Last Night on State Offipials to Show Cause Why They Should Not Be Restrained from Canvassing Returns.

Constitution of Virginia will open in ear-nest on Thursday in the United States Court in this city, and it is possible that Chief Justice Fuller or some other of the justices of the United States Supreme Court will be on the bench when the important cause is heard.

United States Marshal Morgan Treat

last night served an order upon Governor A. J. Montague, State Treasurer A. W. Harman, Jr., and Auditor Morton Marye in their capacity as members of the State Hoard of Election Canvassers, to appear on Thursday and show cause why an in-junction should not be granted prohibit-ing them from canvassing the returns of recent congressional election. writ was served on the Governor at the Westmoreland Club. Secretary of the Commonwealth D. Q. Eggleston and Attorney-General Anderson were not reached. but the mandamus writ will be served upon them between now and Thursday, when it is returnable.

It is understood that Attorney-General Anderson will argue the case for the State, but it could not be ascertained last night whether or not the leaders of the Democratic party would employ any counsel to assist him.

Wie ania Negro.

Hon. John S. Wise, of New York, and James H. Hayes, a colored attorney of Richmond, began the fight for negro suffrage in Norfolk yesterday. The fight takes the form of a bill and a petition filed in the United States Circuit Court, presided over by Judge Edmund Wad-dill. The petition is from three negroes of this city, who allege that they are competent to vota even under the Constitution and registration laws, but are deprived of that privilege. These are W. H. Jones. Edgar Poe Lee and John Hill. They ask for an injunction against Governor Montague, David Q. Eggleston, Secretary of State, Morton Marye William A, Anderson, and A. W. Harman, Jr., all State officials and members of the canvassing board, to prohibit them from canvassing the returns of the recent election, and from issuing certificates of election till they shall have been passed

The petition states at length the conditions and characters of the petitioners, and declares that they are deprived of their rights; that the new Constitution is invalid; that the Constitution of 1869 is

still in force.

The bill is filed by the same attorneys The bill is filed by the same attorneys for three other colored men of Richmond, who make the same allegations. The men are W. S. Seldon, W. H. Jones and C. B. Gilpin. They sue for the benefit of all those who under the new Constitution

feel that they have been deprived of their rights. W. H. Jones, one of the men who signs the bill, is the editor of the Planet. The bill declares that he can read and write; that he owns property and that he is qualified in other respects as a most of the respects as a state. he is qualified in other respects as a voter, and says he was not allowed to register. Edgar Poe Lee, one of the petitioners, is declared to have been a soldier of the Ninth United States Cavalry and to have served in Arlzona and in the Indian campaign with Custer, but he was refused registration on the ground that he had not served in any war.

Mr. Wise appeared in court with the two negro attorneys and made a set speech, in which he described the government of Virginia as a rump institution set up by

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Virginia as a rump institution set up by forty-seven men.

RULE GRANTED.

Judge Waddill granted a rule to show cause, and adjourned the case to Richmond for next Thursday at 11 o'clock. Then the defendants will have opportunity to show cause why the petition of prohibition asked for to prevent the certificate of election from issuing should tificates of election from issuing should not be granted.

Judge Waddill, upon being seen, said

that there is nothing special to be said upon the subject; that the orders were formal in character, and intended to bring the parties into court to answer the injunction proceedings.

FULLER MAY SIT.

The time given for appearance was necessarily limited in view of the short period intervening before the meeting of the State Board of Canvassers, but that the time for the hearing could, of course be extended at the return day. It was impracticable to anticipate at this time impracticable to anticipate at this time what proceedings might be taken on Thursday, and as the cases were in the Circuit Court, it did not follow that he would necessarily preside. In view of the character and importance of the cases he indulged the hope that either Chief Justice Fuller or one of the Circuit Court judges would be present when the matter was heard, although he had no information on that subject,

FOREST FIRES RAGING

Destructive Corflarations Reporter from Bluefie'd. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

BLUEFIELD, W. VA., Nov. 15 .- Forest BLUEFIELD, W. VA., Nov. 15.—Forest fires are now ragins in the mountain timberlands of Boone county and thousands of acres of the finest timber in the State have been burned over, the greater portion of the timber being totally destroyed. The loss of the imber will amount to many hundred of thousands of dollars.

All the towns of Boone and the neighboring counties are enveloped in vast billows of the smoke. Farm houses and even small villages are being deserted, the inhabitants fearing that the fire will extend from the mountains down into the valleys. No lives are yet known to be lost.

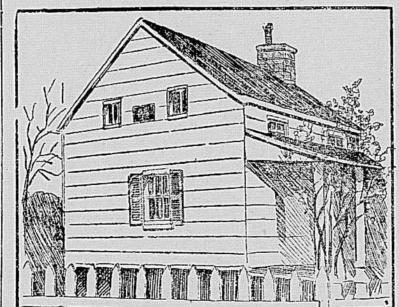
SNAPSHOT PICTURES OF ANDREW CARNEGIE

(Special Cable Dispatch to The Times.) (Special Cable Dispatch to The Times.)
(Copyright, 1902.).

LONDON, Nov. 15.—Although Andrew Carnegie makes a point of dodging the snap-shot artists, he can find no fault with the impressionistic studies taken of him in his robes as rector of St. Andrew's University upon the occasion of the laying of the corner-stone of the new medical school at Dundee.

One of the pictures of the philanthropist shows him beside a brawny, rugged-faced Scot, who seems not insensible of the honor of being thus immortalized. And Carnegie, too has the look of a man who feels that he has put in an honest day's work giving away libraries.

POE COTTAGE AT FORDHAM WHERE LIFE'S TRAGEDY PLAYED



James B. Carrington, writing in the Sunny South, says:

Few homes associated with men of sufferer's only means of warmth, except genius have attracted more sympathetic and melancholy interest than the little cottage in Fordham, New York, where the bitter tragedy of Edgar Poe's life was

played nearly to the end.

He came here in 1846 with his young wife and mother, the long-suffering and patient Mrs. Clemm, hoping by his work patient airs, Clemm, noping by his work on various papers and magazines in the great city near by to make enough to afford the necessary comforts for his in-valid Virginia and himself. The little cot-tage on the top of Forthern III. alloru the necessary comforts for his invalid Virginia and himself. The little cottage on the top of Fordham Hill was by far the best home he had yet known. It was only a story and a half high. On the ground there are two small rooms.

than her verses, called on the Poes, and found the dying wife in the summer sit-

as her husband held her hands, and her mother her feet. Mrs. Clemm was pas-sionately fond of her daughter, and her distress on account of her illness and poverty and misery was dreadful to see."

Mrs. Poe died in the little sitting room
on Saturday, January 30, 1847; and from here her husband, wearing the military coat that had but lately been her bed covering, attended by a few friends, followed her body to its last resting place For some time after his wife's death the little house remained the home of Poe and Mrs. Clemm. Friends came oc-

cat seemed conscious of her great useful-

ness. The coat and the cat were the

tage on the top of Fordham Hill was by far the best home he had yet known. It was only a story and a half high. On the ground floor are two small rooms, a sitting room and a kitchen, while above, ting room and a kitchen, while above, treached by a narrow stairway, are two other rooms, one of these Poe's, a crampod Hitle box of a place. Iighted by tiny windows, the other a bed room about the size of a closet. Mrs. Gove, who visited the Poes' here, says: "The furniture was the Poes' here, says: "The furniture was laid with checked matthing, were only a light stand with presentation volumes of the Brownings upon it, some hanging shelves with a few other books ranged on them, and four chairs."

Poe's wife. Virginia, only twenty-five, was still beautiful, her large black eyes and dark hair accentuating her pallor, and Poe, proud, himself ill, and bitter, with a sense of the injustice of the word and his own inability to provide the comforts required for his wife, was in a constant fever of anxiety.

"As the summer went on Poe grew no better, and daily Virginia failed and faded, and the resources of the household were being slowly reduced to the starving point, Autumn came, the snow and affairs grew desperate; the wolf was already at the door when by happy chance this same Mrs. Gove, whose kind heart could prompt her to something better than her verses, called on the Poes, and found the dying wife in the summer sitting room, which had been taken for here.

The scene Time scene two many and the observer that the story of the poet of a typical suburban house, so close of a typical suburban house, so close of a typical suburban house, so close of the poets. The scene is vividly realized in here.

The recent cutting of a new roadway completed the moving of the Poe cottage, and it now stands right alongside to the poets, and found the dying wife in the summer sitting room, which had been taken for here.

HIGH HONOR FOR A PETERSBURG BOY

New Methodist Church is Approaching Completion.

PREACHING FOR TO-DAY

Jury in Case of Crowder's Administrator Renders a Conditional Verdict. Set Aside by the Judge.

Items of Interest.

(Special Dispatch to Tie: Times.) PETERSBURG, VA., Nov 15 .- Mr. Edward Renhold Rogers, of Petersburg has been elected adjunct professor of philosophy of the University of Virginia, and will fill the chair occupied by Professor Noah R. Davis during the latter's absence in the South, on ac-count of ill health. Professor Rogers is

only a short time ago graduated with nonors at the University. The new Wesley Methodist Church is approaching completion and the congre gation expects to get into the new edifice before the close of the year. The new church stands on the site of the old one on Halifax Street, but is a much larger and more comfortable and convenent building. Rev. J. A. Thomas is expected to be returned to the charge by Bishop

a son of Captar George J. Rogers an

Mr. Theodore Low has removed to Petersburg. Mr. Low, who since July, last has been ill with typhold fever, is now able to be out, though he has not fully recovered. Before his illness, Mr. Low was superintendent of the eastern division of the Norfolk and Western

WILL SPEAK TO-DAY. Mr. John T. Pullen, president of the Raleigh Savings Bank, of Raleigh, N. C., will address the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon. His subject will be: "Happiness Worth More Than Cash."

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.

Miss Annie Appleman, daughter of the
Rev. Mr. Appleman, of Chesterfield county, met with quite a painful acident in this city this afternoon. She was driving down Canal Street in company with her sister, Miss Nellio Appleman, when the horse hitched to the buggy in which they were seated took fright and dashed off at a rapid guit. When the animal turned into Old Street the buggy animal turned into Old Street the buggy was overturned and the young ladies thrown to the cobble stone pavement. Miss Annie Appleman was rendered conscious. She was picked up and at-tended by Dr. R. D. McIlwaine, who had her carried to the Home for the Slck, where it was found she was suffering from a slight fracture of the skull. She M'ss Nellie Appleman rewill recover. M'ss Nellie ceived only slight injuries.

SECOND TRIAL FOR THE SAME OFFENSE

Question as to How Far the Con stitution Follows the United States Flag.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—Another important case, as to how much of the Constitution follows the flag to the Philippines, has reached the Supreme Court, in this one the sacred rights of person are involved.

are involved.

A lawyer named Kepner was acquitted of the charge of robbing a Chinese ellent. He was tried and acquitted. The question to be decided is whether or not the lawyer can be tried a second time for the same offense.

TWO MEN ARRESTED FOR EXTORTION

One Said to Be Chief Clerk in the Department of the East, U. S. A.

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Nov. 14.-A man giving the name of Harry S. Willams, but whom NEW YORK, NOV. R.—A man grand the name of Harry S. Williams, but whom the police declare is Henry Wilson, for twenty years chief clerk and civil engineer in the Department of the East, U. S. A., with offices in the army building in this city, was arrested to-night on a charge of extortion. Benjamin T. Whitmore, who says he is a reporter, was arrested with him on a similar charge. The two men are accused of trying to hold up the Water-Front Improvemers Company of Jersey City, which is engaged in filling in crib work on Ricker's Island in the East River under contract with the Street Cleaning Department.

Captain Titus says that a detective and a representative of the company met Whitmore and Wilson in a cafe to-day and handed to each of them \$2.50 in marked bills, Whitmore turning over the money given to him to Wilson, and the whole transaction belng witnessed by other detectives and by a representative of the District Attorney's office through a window. Neither of the prisoners made any statement, The police say Whitmore is a physician, and was born in Charles county, Md.

Deputy Sergeant James E. Taylor was

Hand Bitten by Maniac.

was endeavoring to remove from one part of the jail to another Friday night, and GREAT NEW YORK HORSE SHOW

The Chesapeake & Ohio Route and Old

Dominion Steamsh.p.

Leave Richmona (Ma.n-Street Station)
4 P. M., with parior cars, Saturday, November lath; take Chesapeake and Ohio steamer Virgina at Newport News 5:35
P. M., which will run along side of the old Dominion steamship at Norfolk 6:30
P. M. Old Dollands
P. M.
Fare on November 15th Richmond to
New York one way \$7, including meals
and state-room berth on steamer. Roundtrip \$11, including meals and state-room
berth on steamer both ways, limited to

berth on steamer both ways, limited to ten days for return.
Parlor cars between Richmond and Newport News.
Return ng, the Old Dominion steamship is due at Old Point in time to connect with the Chesapeake and Ohio fast train leaving Old Point 9:40-A. M., except Sunday, arriving Richmond 11:45

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🚦 News of Suburbs. 🖫 **************************

Fulto Notes

It is now said to be almost certain that Rev. Mr. Wright will be sent to Fulton as pastor of Denny-Street M. E. Church. Rev Mr Wright is known to a number of the members, and he is regarded as a live, up-to-date pastor.

The Ladies' Auxiliary Society of Denny-Street M. E. Church will meet on Mon-Street M.

Street M. E. Church will meet on Monday afternoon with Mrs. Charles H. Smith, of State Street.

The usual services will be neld at Weddell Memorial Chapel to-morrow.
The pastor, Rev. E. B. Snead, will not be really the street.

Building has started in and around Building has started in and around Fulton after an etapse of about eighteen months. A vacant house in Fulton has been an unknown friend for years. Ground has been broken for about a dozen houses and already more than one-

half of them have been leased.

Mrs. Margaret Gogan is having a number of dwellings crected on lower Louisiana Street.

James E. Kennedy has four houses under construction on upper Louisiana Street.

Street.

Mr. ..enry Evano has two houses nearing completion. Building is booming on Fulton Hill, a number of handsome homes are under construction at "Eattery Heights," "Belmont," "Farrandsville," and "Cemetery Heights."

The honor pupils of Louisiana-Street school for this week are as follows: Street.

school for this week are as follows:
Jake Farman (2), Myrtle Turner, Ernest
Elanton (4), Edna Jordan (2), Amy Hartelius (7), Grace Nelson (2), Lity Farrman (3); Joe Donley (6), Maud Blankenhip, Lonnie Minter, John Cottrell, L,
Evans (2), R. Glenn, F. Kirby, L, Williams, E. Ballew, G. Knight, E. Leonard.

Mr. George Lowe, an employee of the Lower Gas Works, was painfully injured yesterday morning while at work. Mr. Lowe and several other workmen were engaged in moving a barrow of coal from the dump to the furnace. In some manuer, the barrow got away from the men and Mr. Lowe's right leg was pinioned between an iron girder and the barrow and badly mashed. He was assisted to bits home where he received medical at-Mr. George Lowe, an employe his home where he received medical at-

L. H. Kemp, commissioner of revenue L. H. Remp, commissions of the for Lower Henrico, was this week presented with the largest pumpkin of the season. The pumpkin weighed over seventry-five pounds and measured five feet in circumference.

Rev. J. T. Rotten and family of Newgort News are the guests of R. Nelsen,

ort News, are the guests of R. Nelsen, of Williamsburg Avenue.

Rev. W. T. Williams, a former pastor of Denny-Street M. E. Church, paid a visit to old friends this week.

Mr. John Shurm left for Dinwiddle countries.

Mr. John Shurm lett for Dinwiddle county on a business trip.
Mr. Todd Henley, of King and Queer county, is the guest of his brother-inaw, S. P. Waddill, of Fulton Hill.

aw. S. P. Waddill, of Fulton Hill.

Mrs. Frank S. Anderson and daughter
are visiting friends in Henrico county.

Miss Nellie Shepherd is the guest of
Miss Ruth Harrison at "Waverly." on Fulton Hill. Mrs. Robert L. Harrison, who has been ill, is much improved. Robbie, the little son of 'Squire John

Martin, is ill with spinal meningitis at the residence of his father, on Nicholson Street. Mrs. John T. Neagle, who has been quite sick, is much improved. The funeral of the infant child of

Mr. John Edwards took place yesterday from the residence. Misses Mattie Foster and Bertha

Wolffe, accompanied by Mrs. George Murray, of Mathews county, are the Murray, of Mathews County, and guests of Mrs. J. E. Oyier.

Mrs. Hawey Mays and children are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Nelsen. Mrs. Mays will spend see the county for the school of the see of eral weeks here, when she wil leave for her new home in Mobile, Ala. Mr. Mays left this week for Mobile, where he goes as superintendent of the plant

in the city of the Virginia and Carolina Chemical Company.

Mrs. J. D. Williams, wife of Dr. J. P. Williams, who has been quite sick, is

improving.

The condition of Mrs. Mary Boltz remains critical.

Mrs. James Grant and daughter, Miss

Annie, will return to-day from a two months' visit to friends in New York State. Mrs. J. M. Bryant is quite sick at her

residence.

Mrs. Michael Bassinger is quite sick at her residence near the National Ceme-

tery.

Carlton, the five-year-old son of Mr.

W. J. Parrish is ill with fever at the
residence of his father on the Charles

City Charles Miss Lila Miller, of Mathews county is

te guest of her sister, Mrs. J. E. Oyler, of Denny Street.

Miss Adler Walton, of Louisa county, is
the guest of her s'ster, Mrs. John W.
Turner, of Marion Hill.

Turner, of Marion Hill.

A surprise party was given Wednesday night at the residence of Miss Gussie Myers, on Orleans Street. Games were indulged in until a late hour. Among those present were Miss Virgine Marshall. Lizzle Dent, Georgie Apples, Ethel and Rees Lyria, Dorn Slaughter, Marshall Company Rees Lyria, Dorn Slaughter, Marshall Lizzle Dent, Georgie Apples, Ethel and Rosa Uzzle, Dora Slaughter, Mam-mie Campfield, Maud Lynch, Lula Lairy, Susie and Maggie Myers, Messrs. Earnest Owens, Frank Ferry, Eddle Winkers, Mr. Banks, Arthur Bowles, Crist

Lairy, Ernest Day, Lee Hill, Sam Col-man, Alvin Myers, Lenon Adams. A surprise party was tendered Miss Cora Pace, at her residence on Nicholson Street. Those present were Messrs. Ida Alley, Carrie Lynch, Sopha Corr, Mrytle Lynch, Seatle Williams, Ida Houch Katie Nelson, Ethel Houchens, Katie Houchens, Messrs, Bernard Hobson, Hansford Mitchell, Luther Henley, Willie Haynes, A. B. Nieholson, Tom Stewart, Leroy Leonard, J. Nicholson, Charlle Leonard, Joe Pace, C. Alley.

Barton Heights.

Mr. A. L. Seay has returned to his home n Shores, Fluvanna county, after a visit o Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Rady. Miss Mary Stewart left yesterday for

shland to visit friends.

Mr. John Carter, of Petersburg, is vis-Mr. John Carter, of Petersburg, is vis-ting Mr. John Wilkenson.
Mr. Abner Pope, who has been visiting at Emporia, has returned home. Mr. Stevenson, who has been visiting Mr. John E. Harding, has returned to Ac-

Mrs. Steger left yesterday on a visit to nttacked by a negro maniac whom he was endeavoring to remove from one part of the jail to another Friday night, and leave for his aunt, Mrs. W. G. Cosby, will leave for his nome in Hampton Londay.

Mrs. Specer and son, Roscoe, of West

oint, are the guests of Mrs. N. B. Crox-Mr. Charles Williams, of Louisa, is visiting Mr. J. Jones. Mr. Ester, of Louisa, Va., is visiting his daughter, Miss Mary Estes. Mr. H. P. Thacker left yesterday even-

ing for Salem.
The honor pupils of the Barton Heights

School are as follows:

Fifth Grammar Grade-Miss Mabel Glinn, teacher-Stella James.

Fourth Grammar Grade-Miss Kate Glinn, teacher-Grace Chamberiain, Kathleen Gordon, Elizabeth Jeter, and Matth Parland Edith Ragland. Edith Ragland.
Second Grammar Grade—Miss Lillie
Todd, teacher—Josephine Figner, Norma

Ware, and Evelyn Carpenter.
First Grammar Grade—Miss Lillie Todo, teacher—Irene Dunn, Emma Hopkins, Ruth Hopkins, Blanche Harman, Mattle

Ruth Hopkins, Blanche-Harman, Mattle Raines, and Bradstreet Peaseley.
Seventh Primary Grade-Miss Ruby Crenshaw, teacher-Hugh Chamberlain, Charles Davenport, Raiph Eaton, Henry Taylor, Walter Wilkinson, Ruth Carpenter, Alice Coalter, Nannie Durmelier, Zelda Davies, Annie Garland, Naomi Haupt, Elizabeth Les, Mary Leach, Marian Moffat, Helen Rose, Ada Scott, Association and Mary Lyle Williams.

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lips.
Fifth Primary Grade—Miss Lizette
Winston, teacher—Hugh Leach, Taylor
Pitt, Frank Taylor, Lillian Harding,
Kathleen O'Bannon, Norma Woodward,
and William Taylor Rady.
Fourth Primary Grade—Miss Pauline
Gary, teacher—Robert Baker, Roy Nichelas, Gracie Hodge, and Ella Wikinson.
Third Primary Grade—Miss Pauline
Gary, teacher—Frederick Miller, Joe
Peaseley, Elizabeth Armstrong, Clara
Chappel, Mary Carpenter, Katherine
Jones Louise Kellogg, Lillian Noble, and
Kate Starritt.

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Second Primary Grade—Miss Pauline
Gary, teacher—Roy Goyne, Kenneth Tomlinson, Holland Wilkinson, Charles
Lightner Marie Ellis, Elsie Koss, and
Lindsay Satterfield.

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First Primary Grade—Miss Pauline Gary
teacher—Elliott Baughan, Charles Hanny,
Gilbert Hawley, Leslie Johnson, Macio
Hawley, and Cora Plateau. Hi-hland Springs.

Rev. A. N. Somers proposes to organ-ize a class for the study of American history from its earliest date to the present time. There will be a fine entertainment at the Methodist Church Hall Friday evening, the 21st. In addition to the entertainment there will be supper.

The German class held its in tial meeting at the home of Mrs. E. A. Bowers on Monday afterneon. The study of the language was taken up and thoroughly enjoyed. Mrs. P. S. Read, who is a thorough graduate, having been edu-cated in Germany, is preceptress of the class. The pupils feel sure that they will advance under her instruction.

Charles Lynch has leased from Mr. Andrew Smith the Geiger place, on the Will amsburg Road, for another year, Mr. C. W. Hechler, Superintendent of County Roads, will hereafter make his headquarters at Highland Springs. For the past two years he has lived in East

Mr. J. F. Collins, of Madison county, Va., is a guest of Dr. and Mrs. G. T. Collins during the present week. He is a delegate to the Virginia Con-

Mr. and Mrs. W. Jones and Mrs.

Parker, of Richmond, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dudley during the T. Martin and family have recently noved to Fairmourt.
Mr. and Mrs. Parker, of Richmond, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles

Mrs. Wood, a guest at the Tower House, is still confined to her bed. Edward Kel'um, the popular conduc-tor on the Saven Pines Railroad, will

have a house put up on the land ad-joining the Villines estate.

Captain Alfred Woodman is expected. where he will spend the winter. He has spent the past summer on his farm in

New England.

Mr. Gentry, brother of Mrs. Ruth Mathews, proprietor of Highland Springe store will make this place his home in

THE PRESIDENT KILLED NO BEAR

Mr. Roosevelt Was in Hard Luck Again on Yes-

terday. (Br Associated Press.)
SMEDES. MISS., November 15.—No fresh bear skin had been hung up to-day at the camp on the Little Sunflower up to 4:30 o'clock this afternoon. At that to 4:30 o'clock this afternoon. At that hour the President, Mr. McIlhenny and Hoke Collier were stil out in pursuit of a bear which was started early 'n the morning, but the remainder of the party had abandoned the chase, and twenty of the twenty-eight dogs had straggled back to camp completely worn out.

The President had hard luck to-day. Twice he narrowly missed a chance for a shot. The pack split almost immedi-ately after leaving this morning. Hoke Collier, with half the hounds, followed the trail of one bear down the river, and the trail of one pear down the state of him at four nothing had been heard of him at four o'clock. The other bear went in the president posite direction, and gave the President and the other members of the party and

dogs a merry chase.

The only member of the party who bagged anything was Judge Dickinson. He caught a string of trout in the Sunflower after luncheon. To-morrow there will be no hunt, the dogs will be rested, and the pursuit of bear will be resumed

Monday morning.

The bears killed yesterday furnished ment for the camp last night and to-day.

WHAT PENNSYLVANIA'S WAGE INCREASE MEANS

(Special Dispatch to The Times)
NEW YORK, November 15.—Here is the
Herald's summary of what the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's increase of
10 per cent in pay to its employed

mean:
Number of employes, 108 000.
Men affected by increase, nearly 100,000.
Wages paid for year ending June 32.
\$56,248,581. Average per man employed, \$593. Average per man per day, 11.62.
Estimated total of wage increase,

25,000,000. Equal to dividend on stock of three per

Cent.
Gross carnings for 1942, the 195.700.
Dividends to stockholders, \$6.000.00